

PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 07040.0272

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Claudio LACAGNINA et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1747  
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Application No.: 10/593,148 ) Examiner: Geoffrey L. KNABLE  
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Filed: June 19, 2007 ) Confirmation No.: 7625  
)  
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS )  
FOR MANUFACTURING TYRES )  
FOR VEHICLE WHEELS )

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Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicant petitions for a three-month extension of time to file a reply to the final Office Action of December 30, 2011. A fee payment of \$1,110.00 is being submitted herewith via the EFS-Web System.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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